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SUBJ: CLARIFICATION OF QATAR STUDENTS AS F-1

REF: DOHA 0707

1. EMBASSY HAS RECEIVED ADDITIONAL QUERIES FROM THE MINISTRY OF FOREIGN AFFAIRS AND THE MINISTRY OF EDUCATION REGARDING THE CLASSIFICATION OF QATAR GOVERNMENT-SPONSORED STUDENTS AS F-1 RATHER THAN A-2. PLEASE PROVIDE INFORMATION REQUESTED IN PARAGRAPH THREE OF THE REFERENCE. TO ENABLE EMBASSY REPLY FORMALLY TO THE FOREIGN MINISTER'S OUTSTANDING NOTE AND INFORMALLY TO THE MINISTER OF EDUCATION, EMBASSY NEEDS TO KNOW WHETHER THE PRACTICE OF GRANTING A-2 VISAS TO KUWAITI AND SAUDI STUDENTS WILL BE DISCONTINUED; IF NOT, ON WHAT BASIS ARE THEY QUALIFYING FOR A-2'S; AND IF QATAR GOVERNMENT-SPONSORED STUDENTS MEET THE SAME QUALIFICATIONS MAY EMBASSY ISSUE THEM A-2'S ALSO.

2. REQUEST PRIORITY REPLY.  
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